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VIA ECF

Honorable Paul E. Engelmayer
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

Re: United States of America v. Amgad Abdou
17 Cr. 267 (PAE)

Hon. Judge Engelmayer:

I write to request that Your Honor order the United States Department of State to release Mr. Amgad Abdou's passport to Mr. Abdou, or to a representative from my office. The State Department has informed my office that they can only release Mr. Abdou's passport pursuant to a Court order. Mr. Abdou received a sentence of twenty-four months' incarceration on March 19, 2018. We thus respectfully request that the Court order the release of his passport.

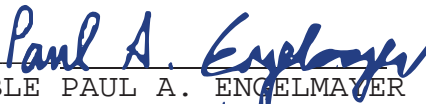
Respectfully submitted,

/s/
Julia Gatto
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GRANTED. The Clerk of Court is requested to terminate the motion at Dkt. No. 46.

SO ORDERED:

5/19/2020


HONORABLE PAUL A. ENGELMAYER
United States District Judge